

# **Exhibit A**

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Office of Information Programs and Services  
A/GIS/IPS/RL  
U. S. Department of State, SA-2  
Washington, D. C. 20522-8100

Re: Freedom of Information Act/Privacy Act Request

To Whom It May Concern:

We represent Ms. Simret Semere Tekle, who has requested that we obtain her files. We request a full copy of the A-3 non-immigrant visa application for Ms. Tekle. This application file includes Ms. Tekle's completed visa application and a copy of Ms. Tekle's employment contract. As required by law, this contract includes a description of duties, hours of work, minimum wage, overtime work, payment, transportation to and from the United States, and other required terms of employment. Ms. Tekle's A-3 visa interview took place at the U.S. Consulate in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia. The visa was granted and issued in late September 2011.

Ms. Tekle's personal information is as follows:

Subject of Request

Simret Semere Tekle

Date of Birth

05/10/1987

Place of Birth (city and state/country)

Asmara, Eritrea

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact Martina Vandenberg at [martina@htprobono.org](mailto:martina@htprobono.org) or 202-716-8485. The requested records can be mailed to:

Simret Tekle  
c/o The Human Trafficking Pro Bono Legal Center  
1030 15<sup>th</sup> St. NW #104B  
Washington, DC 20005

Sincerely,

Martina Vandenberg